

PATENT APPLICATION

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APPLICANT(S):

Burgess et al.

GROUP: Art Unit 2832

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EXAMINER: Klaus, Lisa Nhung

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [X] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 has been established.
- A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- [X] No additional fee is required.

For	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate (Small Entity)	Addit. Fee	Rate	Addit. Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS	7	20	0	x 9 =	\$0	x 18 =	\$0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1	3	0	x 43 =	\$0	x 86 =	\$0
[] First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim				145		290	\$0

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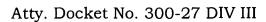
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 30, 2004please amend the above identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper and include attached replacement drawings and annotated drawings showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.

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Maria Goldman

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Amendment dated August 27, 2004
Reply to the Office Action of June 30, 2004

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

The attached sheets of drawings include changes to FIGs. 16, 21 and 19. These sheets replace the original sheets 20/23, 21/23, 22/23.

Attachments:

- Replacement Sheets 20/23, 21/23, 22/23
- Corresponding annotated sheets showing changes.